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Applicant: Brenda Pomerance Confirmation: 7218
Filed: April 5, 2000 Art Unit: 2161
Serial No.: 09/543,049 Examiner: J. Hayes
Title: AUTOMATED ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is an **Amendment** in the above-referenced application. The filing fee has been calculated as below:

CALCULATION OF FEE (For a Small Entity)

	No. Filed	No. Paid For	No. Extra	Rate per Claim	TOTAL
Total Claims	39	45	0	9	0
Independent Claims	5	6	0	42	0
TOTAL					0

[X] Small Entity Status has been claimed in the above-identified application and its benefit under 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a) is hereby claimed.

Reduced fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(f) are paid herewith.

[] A credit card authorization form in the amount of \$_____ in payment of the filing fee is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 19, 2002

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I hereby certify that the following attached paper(s) and/or fee

1. Amendment (13 pages) with 2 clean pages of spec. and 2 mark up pages (total 17 pages)
2. Amendment Transmittal
3. Petition for Extension of Time (one month)
4. Credit card authorization form for \$55
5. Request for Approval of Drawing Changes, with 4 sheets of drawings, Figs. 1, 2, 3A, 3B, 3C
6. Return receipt postcard

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1. Communication
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COMMUNICATION

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Dear Sir:

In response to a telephone call from Examiner Hayes earlier today, applicant files herewith a credit card authorization form, authorizing a payment of \$234 for six independent claims that were filed in the Preliminary Amendment of June 28, 2000, but inadvertently not paid for. The then-current fee of \$39 per additional independent claim is used. This will change the total number of claims paid for in this case to: 45 total claims, 12 independent claims.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for bringing this error to her attention and for the opportunity to correct the underpayment.

Early and favorable consideration of this application is earnestly solicited. The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned should there be any questions or issues.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: April 3, 2002


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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES

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Dear Sir:

In Fig. 3C, please insert a "N" on the left branch and a "Y" on the right branch of
TIMEOUT hexagon 370.

Please replace sheets 1-4 of the original drawings with the attached sheets showing the
reference numerals and lines in formal printable form. Other than the above-noted correction, no
substantive changes have been made.

Respectfully submitted,

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